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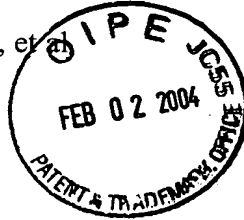
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In re application of: Eiji Shimada, et al.

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2003, a response to which is due January 30, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begins on page 4 of this paper.